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**Preliminary Amendment**

Dear Sir:

**Amendment Revisions**

Please substitute claims 1 - 10 with the following claims 1 - 10.

**Clean Version of each Replacement Paragraph/Section/Claim**

1. A gear transmission comprising: a first shaft (45), an intermediate shaft (44) which is parallel to the first shaft, a first cylindrical pinion (6) having a first set of teeth and which is mounted to rotate with the first shaft, a second cylindrical pinion (6) having a second set of teeth and mounted to rotate with the intermediate shaft, the

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